

**321—24.2(231D) Program certification.** New programs and existing accredited programs shall be certified and operated in accordance with Iowa Code Supplement chapter 231D and all applicable administrative rules. Programs not accredited by a recognized accrediting entity shall become certified by meeting all of the requirements set forth in 24.3(231D) and all requirements imposed by Iowa Code Supplement chapter 231D and this chapter. For the purpose of these rules, certification is equivalent to licensure. A current certificate shall be visibly displayed within the designated area of the operation of the program.